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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF WYOMING

WILLIAM WILLARD HODGES	
Co.DOC #132576/Wyo.DOC #23606)	
Plaintiff(s),)	Case No <u>07-CV-70-</u> 3
VS. Wyoming State departmaent Of Correction/Dir. R. Lampert Wyoming State Penitentiary Wardan Michael Murphy Corp. Prindle W.S.P. Security Sgt. Peach W.S.P. Security Doctor John Coyle M.D. Richard Kinder P.A.	
PRISONER CIVIL RIC Under 42 U.S	
1. Plaintiff(s)	
(a) Name: Willam Willard Ho	odges
Aliases: Bill Hodges, Bu	
Prisoner number: Co.DOC. #133	2576 / Wyo.DOC, #23606
Place of confinement: Collorado PO. Box 1010 Cano Address: (275 W. Hwy 50)	o Territorial Correction Facil on City Co. 81215-1010
(b) Name: N/a	
Aliases:	
Prisoner number: N/A	
Place of confinement:	
Address:	
(If there are more than 2 plaintiffs, list them using forewarding address: C/O Jeanette	

Brighton Co. 80601

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2. Defendant(s	s)
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(a)	Defendant: Wyoming State of Corrections/Dir. R. Lampert	
ζ/	Title: Director of Corrections	
	Place of Employment: Wyoming Department Of Crretions	
	Address: 700 W.21st Street Chevenne Wyo. 82002	
	How defendant is sued (as an individual, official capacity or both): Both	
	Was defendant acting under color/authority of law? ✓ Yes ☐ No	
(b)	Defendant: Wyoming State Penitentiary/ Warden M, Murphy Title: Warden W.S.P.	
Place of Employment: Wyoming State Penitentiary		
	Address: Po Box. 400 Rawlins Wyo. 82301-0400	
	How defendant is sued (as an individual, official capacity or both) Both	
	Was defendant acting under color/authority of law? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
(e)	Defendant: Corp. Prindle (first name unknown) (wsp secr.)	
	Title: Corp. For W.S.P Security	
	Place of Employment: Wyo. State Penitentiary	
	Address: Po Box 400 Rawlins Wyo. 82301-0400	
	How defendant is sued (as an individual, official capacity or both): Both	
	Was defendant acting under color/authority of law? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
(If you have	more than 3 defendants, list them using this format on a separate sheet of paper.)	

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Defendant(s) Continued

- (d) Defendant: Sgt. peach (first name unknown) Title: Sgt.forW.S.P security Place of employment: Wyo. state penitntiary PO Box 400 Rawlins Wyo. 82301-0400 How defendant is sued: Both was defendant acting under color/authority? Yes - No
- (e) Defendant: Doctor John Coyle M.D. Title: Medical Doctor Place of employment: Wyo. State Penitentiart Address: Po Box 400 Rawiins Wyo. 82301-0400 How defendant is sued? Both Was defendant acting under color/authority law ? / yes NO
- (f) Defendant: Richard Kinder P.A.
 Title: Physician Assistant
 Place of employment: W.S.P.
 Address: PO Box 400 Rawlins Wvo.82301-0400
 How defendant is sued? Bbth
 Was defendant acting under color/authority of law / yes _ No

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CLAIM ONE:	

State here the constitutional right that the defendant(s) violated.

U.S. Constitution Amendment VIII (8). Denied medical & Emq. medical treatment

Cruel and unusual punishment, by W.S.P. Employees

Supporting facts:

Carefully tell what the defendant(s) did to violate the constitutional right you listed above. Name each person involved. Describe how the violation happened. Give the places and dates where each event took place. If your facts are not complete and do not show how the defendant(s) violated your rights. vour complaint may be dismissed.

Denied medical treatment by Dr. Coyle, R. Kinder Sat. Peach & W. s.p. Security. Warden Murphy, Dir. Lampert. Sent Co. D.O.C. 3days after being injured by Corpl. Prindle, with little to no medical treatment. Co. D.O.C. says that Wyo. D.O.C must take of this matter. Plainiff has not received medical treatment for the injury's received on 08/06/06 at W.S.P. WYOMING

Please see attachments EX 1 thru 11

NOTE: On 02/24/07 due to no proper medical treatment since the injury and damage to inplant and lower back, Ihave been put in a wheel chair do to pain & numness to lower back & legs.

/A
CLAIM TWO:
State here the constitutional right that the defendant(s) violated.
A Supporting facts:
Carefully tell what the defendant(s) did to violate the constitutional right you listed above. Na each person involved. Describe how the violation happened. Give the places and dates where event took place. If your facts are not complete and do not show how the defendant(s) violated yields, your complaint may be dismissed.

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4.	Exha	nustion of Administrative Remedies as to Claim One		
You	are requ	ired to exhaust (use up) all your administrative remedies before bringing this action in		
feder	ral court			
	(a) Is there a grievance procedure at your institution?			
	(b) Have you filed a grievance about the facts in claim one?			
		(If you did not file a grievance, skip to d.)		
	(c)	If your answer is YES:		
		1. Was the grievance: Informal □ Formal □ Both 💆		
		2. What was the result?		
3. Did you appeal? ☐ Yes ☐ No				
		4. If you did appeal, what was the result? DENTED		
	(d)	If your answer is NO, explain why you did not file a grievance:		
5.	Exha	nustion of Administrative Remedies as to Claim Two		
N/V	(a)	Is there a grievance procedure at your institution? N/A ☐ Yes ☐ No		
N/A	(b)	Have you filed a grievance about the facts in claim two?		
(If you did not file a grievance, skip to d.)				
N/A	(c)	If your answer is YES:		
		1. Was the grievance: Informal □ Formal □ Both □		
		2. What was the result?		
		3. Did you appeal? □ Yes □ No		

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		4. If you did appeal, what was the result? N/A			
	(d)	If your answer is NO, explain why you did not file a grievance:			
6.	List	ist all lawsuits you have filed in any state or federal court			
	(a)	Defendants: N/A			
		Name of Court:			
		Result:			
		Date of result:			
	(b)	Defendants:			
		Name of Court:			
		Result:			
		Date of result:			
(If yo	u have file Relie	ed additional lawsuits, list them using this format on a separate sheet of paper.)			
		briefly what you want the Court to do for you. 0,000.00 for repairs and/or replacement of spinal cord			
	ste	m unit implanted in the plaintiffs back, and Doctors			
	bil	ls, Hospital bills, loss of work, plaintiff will lose			
	wor	k when he is released 9/07 to get the unit repaired			
	Hea	th care & Pain & suffering			
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Certificate of Truthfulness

I certify that the facts in this complaint are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I understand that if this certification is not correct, I may be sanctioned by the court.

Signed this 28 day of march.	<u>, 20<i>0</i> 7</u> .
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Sign	nature of plaintiff or plaintiffs
— W Design	illiam Willard Hodges t name of plaintiff or plaintiffs
	o.D.O.C. #132576
	YO. D.O.C. #23606
Certification of Ma	iling
I declare under penalty of perjury that this Complaint was or deposited with prison officials on the	
Executed (signed) on <u>03/28/07</u>	(date)
	Min Water
-	nature of plaintiff or plaintiffs
W f	lliam Willard Hodges

Co.D.O.C. #132576 Wyo.D.O.C. #23606

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ORIGINAL INFORMAL GE	RIEVANCE FORM
SECTION 1. (To be completed by inmate grievant)	(<i>P</i> :
I,, DOC# <u>23606</u> (Grievant's Name)	, <u>A-/-/3</u> , request a meeting with an (Housing Unit)
Informal grievance officer to discuss a grievance.	
Brief summary of complaint:	
- See Htlac	hed
mrurphy.	16. Sent Segal mail Prog. at DRDC.
SECTION 2. (To be completed by inmate grievant after me	eting with informal gnevance officer).
INITIAL APPROPRIATE BLOCKS:	
I confirm that I met with(IGO's Name)	on/to discuss my grievance. (Date)
feel that my grievance has been satisfactorily reso	lved.
	understand that I may submit a formal grievance (WSP-259) ONFIDENTIAL. I also understand that the IGO will submit this
Grievant's Signature	8 131106 Date
SECTION 3. (To be completed by Informal Grievance Office I propose the following resolution to the above stated issuppossible at the informal level, state why).	e: (state briefly, the proposed resolution or, if no resolution is
	Date: \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \
Filed an Informal Formal	Appeal on the above date.
Its deposit in the institutional i	nailbox is hereby acknowledged.

Signature of Officer
White: Attach to Grievance Yellow: Inmate

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EXI

William Hodges, No. 23606

WSP A-1-137

August 7, 2006

INFORMAL GRIEVANCE ATTACHED PAGE 1.

On August 6, 2006, at approximately 1600 hours, I was returning from the chow hall from insulin call and early chow with inmate Jauriqui No. 21799. We reached A-Unit outer sally port door. Jauriqui pushed the control button and the door opened a few feet and stopped just wide enough for one man to walk through it. Jauriqui walked through the door just enough to get inside and I started in right behind him. As I stepped up and was crossing the threshold of the opening, the door closed on me smashing me between the door and the door jamb. After I got through the door by pushing myself through the closing door, I moved out of the sally port into the A-Unit rotunda and went around to the front of the control booth where I talked to Corp. Prindle about what had happened with the door.

Mr. Prindle stated that he had hit me with the door as he was not watching what he was doing. Ofc. Hayes was in the control booth also and witnessed this incident. Also, Ofc. Waller Jr. was also told by Prindle that he had smashed me "like a bug" with the door. He said that he was helping Ofc. Hayes check in CPF inmates and that was why he was not watching the door. At this point Prindle asked me if I needed a nurse. I told him not at this time as I thought I was just banged up a little.

Fifteen minutes later I was sitting at the table in the day room and I noticed my spinal cord stem implant was not working. I told Ofc. Waller Jr. that my unit was not working and he called Prindle in the control to summon a nurse. Nurse Settje came down and we talked about what had happened, the implant device now not working, that I was having some back pain, and that I was now using my cane to take the pressure off. She left to call Dr. Coyle and said she would get back with me.

I sat back down with inmates Jackson and Baldwin. About 1640 I went to get up from the table and a sharp pain shoot up my back to my neck and down my arms and legs. I began to feel a sensation of numbness in my legs and pain in the area of the implant. Ofc. Waller called for Medic - 1. I reached around for my implant and it had moved from the lower right side and is now sitting on top of my spine. I was taken down to the infirmary by Prindle where Nurse Settje examined me and checked the implant. She agreed that the unit had moved and she needed to go call Dr. Coyle at his home. She returned and said Dr. Coyle did not want me going to the ER and having the ER doctors messing with the implant. Nurse Settje said that PA Kinder would see me first thing Monday morning. (The next day) I was given a pain pill about 5:30 pm and was returned to the pod.

The next morning I was given another pain pill at 1:30 am. At 9:30 am I called the control and told Ofc. Stillwell that I need something for the pain and needed to see the doctor. He said he would notify medical. At 11:30 am I asked Ofc. Stillwell again and he said he would call medical again. Again at 12:30 pm I requested help and again was told that medical would be called. At 12:40 I saw nurse Settje at pill call and asked her what was going on, told her that I needed some pain reliever, and asked her when I would see the doctor because I had been calling since 9:30 am and control said they had called several times. She said that medical did not know anything about me trying to get down there to see them.

Then about 1:30 pm they called me to go to the infirmary and the unit Sargent started to take me. We were stopped by Ofc. Stillwell who said they were not ready. After shift change at 2:00 pm I asked Ofc. Waller when I

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William Hodges, No. 23606

WSP A-1-137

August 7, 2006

INFORMAL GRIEVANCE CONTINUED ATTACHED PAGE 2.

was going to the infirmary as they were waiting on me. He said that he knew about it and he would check with Sgt. Peach. At about 2:30 pm Sgt. Peach came into the unit and I asked him what was going on. He said that he had been trying to get contact medical for the last 30 minutes. A few minutes later nurse Settje entered the pod and asked me if I had been taken to the infirmary yet. I told her no and she said that they had been waiting on me. I told her that Sgt. Peach couldn't get hold of medical to confirm. She told Sgt. Peach to call ext.666 that PA Kinder was waiting for me right then. Peach informed her that it was almost count time and he did not have the time nor the manpower to transport me to the infirmary.

At 3:30 pm I saw nurse Settje at insulin call. She apologized and said that she had it set up but Security had denied me medical treatment and I would have to wait until tomorrow to be seen and treated. She said at 5:30 pm she would give me another pain pill and that would have to hold me over until tomorrow at the earliest.

I was injured by no fault of my own and a critical surgically-installed device has been damaged. This presents serious implications for my health and it seems highly improper for Security to overrule the medical staff as to the urgency of my medical need. Because of the indifference of Security staff I am suffering unnecessary pain and could suffer neurological damage to my spine. This conduct needs to be addressed.

William W. Hodges, No. 23606

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Note for Complants

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. William Willard Hodges Co. Do.C # 132576 (Wy. Do E # 23606)

Notes: After informal grievance was filed on 8/7/06

August 8th. 2006

I was told by nurse Bettyie that I would be going to the Medical infiney on 08/08/06 since I was denied treatment on 08/07/06 by, Becurity (2gt Peach).

on 08/08/06 at 8:55 am, Ofc. Hariason told me to get ready to go to medical. Ut 9:15 am Se. Powell in A controll call me for Medical, at 9:18 am Ofc. Frager said I was not on his infimely call out bheet. Ofe Powell Called Medical at 9:45 am I was taken to medical.

he informed me that my implant had been twisted and moved, and that he need X-Rays, and to use cane to take of persure

At 3:30 pm & was packed out for my detainer in Lo. Doc.

No X-Rays or treatment was done.

It 5:30 Pm I informed Ofe Waller gr. that I was in pain and need my Pain medications Page 1 He informed Sat. Peach.

at about 6:30 pm & checked with afe Waller gr. about getting my pain medication. He informed, that I needed to see Sat. Peach. at 6:40 pm Sgt. Peach entered Unit A Pool 1. I went up to Peach, and asked him about going to down to medical and get my Pain medication as per DOC policy on Controlled daugs. But Peach raised his Voise and began to yell at ime, stating that the nurse was on her way with the medication for pain (a controlled dug), not to ask or bring it up again I tried to exsplain that I was in a lot of pain. He (Peach) became anguryer, and at this time, Peach and "quote from plach. was I told not to ask again, and now get the hell a way from him. I then went and sat down and stayed away from Peach, in fewer of getting worde up and/or locked down.

at 8:00 pm. The newse came in to A unit, Pod I servery to do evening pill ball at this time I asked her for my fain meds the informed me that, she told by Peach at 5:30 pm that do to Doc Policy on Controlled Medication, that I had to be brought to the infimmy for Controlled medication.

at about 9:30 pm after final lock down and count, I was call by Sof, Peach, to go to the infirming with Ofe. Waller Ir. for Pain meds. Again I was denied medical treatment for the second time by Reach and lied to about meds. If a immate lies to Staff he gets a write up. Why Lan a Sof, to writ supportisor lie and dence medical?

on 08/09/06. I was transferred by Boulder County to Co. D.O.C; DRDC in Denver Co. With out any pain medication or with out any skind of information to Medical about me being injuried on 08/06/06

18/31/06: I was not able to finish the grievance process in Wyo. On 08/31/06 I sent a legal letter with the grievance to Warden Murphy at W. S.P. in Rawlins Wyo., and a Copy to Director Lampert at Wyo. D.O.C. in Cheyenne Wyo

Sampert from Wy Doc, to inform me that warden was reviewing the grievance and I would receive a response in 30 day.

DRDC. Clinik, about my implant and having

problems with my ligs. at this appointment Dr. Fisher informed me again that this gingury and damage to my simplant was cause by Wy Doc. Staff at W.S.P., and Co.D.O.C. Will not do any thing about this problem, for they are not responsable for the injury that was cause at W.S.P. It was not under stood by Co D.O.C. Medical or their Case managers why I was sent to lo. Doc. With out proper medical Treatment, and that this conduct should be checked in to I was solvised by the Doctor and lase manager to with to the Clerk's office at the U.S. Distinct Court in Denver Co., and request a 1983 Prisoners Complaint forms.

complaint forms.

Mo9/21/06, & received a memorandum from Joan Thayer Executive assistand in the Wardens office, date 9/11/06, notifing me that the Warden had received my grievance number 369.

on 10/23/06 I received a letter from Warden Murphy informing that the guivance ofc. fines grievance # 369 Revolved.

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Lostarted filling out the U.S. 1983 Prisoner Complant forms against the State of Wyoming, Wy. D.O.C., W.S. P and Lovernor Dave Freudenthal as per legal advice, for Wowangful jnjury and negligenets.

Murphy and his response to grievance # 369 as resolved, I don't feel it is resolved, because I have not gotten full treatment and I'm still in pain and fineding it hard to walk.

10/25/06 & have whote Director Sampert for a appeal.

and put it in the mail, to Denctor Sampert.

November 28-06 Derector Lampert devide muy

13/7/06 Seem Doc. of Colorado Doctor AAsen about medical treatment he said Co. D.O.C. Refuse to do treatment said Wago. Rox is responseble.

12/22/06 Seen Lo. D.O. C. Doctor Venegas.

He So. d D.O. C. Officials him not to talk about or treat My Spainal Core stem inplant. He was to Refuse treatment Treatment For my back; He said that ha D.O.C. Has taken the Stand that this is a Wyo, D.O.C. Problem and said I Should Try Legal Ave.

2/23/07. No Treatment TOR Back INJURY

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10/25/06

LJilliam Willard Hodges .Co. Do.C # 13276 (Wy. D.o.C. #23606) .C.T. C.F. / CH-7-1R8 .P.O. Box 1010 .Canon City, Co. 81215-1010

Director, R.O. Lampert
Wyoming Department of Corrections
200 West 21st Street
Cheyenne, Wyoming. 82002

RE; Grievance # 369

Dear; Mr. Campert.

I would like to thank you, for responing to my grievance and forwarding a copy to Warden Murphy, I had also sent a copy to mr. Murphy of my grievance on the same day that I sent a copy to your office.

At this time I would like to ask for a appeal on Warden Murphy's derision on my grievance # 369

I donot feel that this matter is resolved.

- 1) Sgt Peach had a rover that after noon.
- 1) At this time and date, I still have not gotten treatment for my injury.

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Co.D.oc. heath care department, has informed me. That this injury and treatment is the responsability of Wyoming. D.o.c. and is responsable for there staff and Officers actions.

At this time I trust you still have a copy of my Grievance.

Thave also attached notes to this tetter letter notes that I have Kept after my Injury.

Mr. Lampert, I await for your decision on this matter, due that I still a need Treatment

Thank you for your Time in this Matter William W Hodges Wyo DOC 23606







STATE OF WYOMING

MEMORANDUM

TO: William Hodges #132576 (WDOC #23606)

DATE: October 12, 2006

FROM: Michael Murphy

Warden

SUBJECT: Grievance #369

On September 7, 2006, the Warden's office received your grievance, unresolved at the informal level of review, regarding your allegation that you were injured because of the error of a staff member on August 6, 2006 and that the decisions of correctional staff members the following day significantly delayed your care as you were unable to be escorted to the infirmary.

In review of your allegations, although it is very unfortunate that this accident occurred, I am pleased to see that the staff member immediately accepted responsibility and attempted to get you initially assessed by medical staff. I simply cannot answer to your claim that attempts to contact medical were either not truly made or unsuccessful throughout the following day until late afternoon. However, the sergeant who did not have an available staff member to escort you to the infirmary prior to count is a situation of staff shortage that has caused great inconvenience over several months, and one that the WDOC is striving to correct. This does not, I understand, help your particular situation. You fail to mention in your formal grievance how much longer your treatment was delayed, and as you have been paroled to your detainer in Colorado it will be very difficult to do anything to resolve this situation but to apologize sincerely for this occurrence.

This Grievance Officer finds Grievance #369 resolved. You may appeal my decision by writing the Director of the Wyoming Department of Corrections.

FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

WYOMING-STATE PENITENTIARY

Michael Murph

Warden

MJM/jdw

cc: Central Office

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DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

DAVE FREUDENTHAL GOVERNOR

700 WEST 21ST STREET CHEYENNE, WYOMING 82002 TELEPHONE: (307) 777-7208 FAX: 307-777-7479

ROBERT O. LAMPERT DIRECTOR

November 28, 2006

William W. Hodges, CODOC #132576 WYDOC #23606 C.T.C.F. / CH-7-1R8 Canon City, Colorado 81215-1010

Re: Grievance Appeal #369

Dear Mr. Hodges:

This letter is written pursuant to Grievance Appeal #369, received 11/1/06, in which you report dissatisfaction with the findings of Warden Murphy of the WSP.

I have reviewed the information, and it would appear that your grievance relates to security staffing and not the medical department itself. Of note is that the Colorado DOC has requested your medical records (request dated 8/16/06), from providers in Wyoming. This should facilitate any medical services you may require in the future, and does not support your allegation that Colorado will not treat your medical needs.

I cannot address statements or conversations you report with various staff members (either security or medical), as I was not present when they occurred. Having reviewed the Warden's resolution, I concur with his findings and, as you are indeed getting medical care, I consider your Grievance Appeal resolved.

Sincerely,

R. O. Lampert,

Director

xc: Warden - WSP

Warden - CTCF

Exhibit 12

William W. Hodges Co. D.O.C # 132576 (Wyo.23606) CTCF C/H 7 1R8 P.O. box 1010 Caon City Co. 81215-1010

Notes for § 1983 Complaint on Wyo. D.O.C.

On 02/24/07

The implant in my lower back has shifted, and is on causing a lot of persure in the area of my spine, and is causing a lot pain, it is resting on area that is caused pain, weekness, and numness in my lower back and legs, and has unable me to walk at this time and I was put in a wheel chair by CTCF. Medical.

On 03/02/2007

I seen CTCF. Doctor Venagras, the doctor made 4 or 5 phone calls and he informed me that Co. D.O.C said that he could not treat this injury and problem that I am having, all he cold do was order me a wheel chair, that he could do, be cause his hands were not just tied in this matter they were hand cuffed, And that I should look at legal avenues in this matter.

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that have on this, 29 day of March 200_, placed a true and correct copy of the foregoing motion for a 45 45c \$1983, in the U.S. mail, postage pre-paid, to the following address.

Win D.S.C. DIR. Lampert.

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Stephan Harris, Clerk Cheyenne

SIGNATURE

William Willard Hodges

(print name) Wyo.# 23606 Co.D.O.C. #132576

DOC #